**BỘ GIÁO DỤC VÀ ĐÀO TẠO**
ĐỀ CHUẨN MINH HỌA 39
*(Đề thi có 05 trang)*

**KỲ THI TỐT NGHIỆP TRUNG HỌC PHỔ THÔNG NĂM 2022**
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**Họ, tên thí sinh**.....
**Số báo danh**: .....

***Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.***

**Question 1.** John is having dinner at Linda's house.
**- John:** "This vegetarian dish tastes so good."
**- Linda: "**_____**"**
**A.** No, never mind. **B.** Sure, I'd love to.
**C.** I don't, either. **D.** I'm glad you like it.

**Question 2.** Hanh and Nam are talking about volunteering.
**- Hanh:** "I think volunteering can help build social skills."
**- Nam: "**_____. We meet people from a variety of backgrounds when we do voluntary work."
**A.** That's a bad idea **B.** You're wrong
**C.** I couldn't agree with you more **D.** You must be kidding

***Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined bold word(s) in each of the following questions.***

**Question 3.** They have called for the government's action to **control** inflation.
**A.** connect **B.** protect **C.** increase **D.** limit

**Question 4.** In order to perform this **task** effectively, you should have some marketing experience.
**A.** job **B.** issue **C.** menu **D.** career

***Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.***

**Question 5.** Coronavirus is an **infectious** disease which causes serious illnesses.
**A.** clear **B.** untidy **C.** harmless **D.** spreading

**Question 6.** Both of them **don't see eye to eye** on the way to educate children.
**A.** disagree **B.** reject **C.** support **D.** agree

***Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.***

**Question 7.** _____ her mistake, the actress made a public apology and decided to give up her career.
**A.** Having realised **B.** Has realised
**C.** Had realised **D.** Having been realised

**Question 8.** You can find a travel _____ to different parts of the country on this website.
**A.** recipe **B.** menu **C.** bill **D.** guide

**Question 9.** Laura _____ responsibility for booking the hotel.

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**A.** paid **B.** took **C.** earned **D.** made

**Question 10.** The manager _____ telling us about the importance of discipline at work.

**A.** put up **B.** took after **C.** carried on **D.** brought in

**Question 11.** This species is highly _____ because of habitat destruction.

**A.** danger **B.** endanger **C.** dangerously **D.** endangered

**Question 12.** Richard _____ lots of toys on his 5th birthday.

**A.** gave **B.** was given **C.** has given **D.** gives

**Question 13.** The painting is impressive, _____?

**A.** wasn't it **B.** hadn't it **C.** is it **D.** isn't it

**Question 14.** Her family donates some money to the charity organisation each year _____ they're not very rich.

**A.** though **B.** because of **C.** in spite of **D.** because

**Question 15.** The colder it is, _____ comfortable I feel.

**A.** the more **B.** more **C.** the most **D.** most of

**Question 16.** When my mother _____ plants in the garden, it started to rain.

**A.** has watered **B.** waters **C.** is watering **D.** was watering

**Question 17.** The board of directors unanimously rejected the idea of online advertising, saying that it would _____ a large amount of the company's budget.

**A.** inhale **B.** ingest **C.** absorb **D.** swallow

**Question 18.** My brother bought this _____ sweater last year but has never worn it.

**A.** expensive blue Japanese **B.** expensive Japanese blue

**C.** blue expensive Japanese **D.** Japanese expensive blue

**Question 19.** He failed to concentrate _____ what the teacher said.

**A.** from **B.** with **C.** to **D.** on

**Question 20.** The final scene of the film 'Lorry Lora' kept everyone on the edge of their _____.

**A.** bench **B.** fence **C.** seat **D.** way

**Question 21.** Martin will have lived in this city for nearly 20 years _____.

**A.** by the time he has his first child **B.** when he had his first child

**C.** as soon as he had his first child **D.** after he had had his first child

***Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.***

**Question 22. A.** h<u>ea</u>d **B.** m<u>ea</u>t **C.** dr<u>ea</u>m **D.** d<u>ea</u>l

**Question 23. A.** peak<u>ed</u> **B.** launch<u>ed</u> **C.** clean<u>ed</u> **D.** brush<u>ed</u>

***Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of the primary stress in each of the following questions.***

**Question 24. A.** struggle **B.** derive **C.** support **D.** reform

**Question 25. A.** tourism **B.** industry **C.** adventure **D.** government

***Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.***

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**Question 26.** Online learning is affordable. It helps students continue learning while schools are closed.

**A.** No sooner had online learning helped students continue learning while schools were closed than it was affordable.

**B.** Not only is online learning affordable but it also helps students continue learning while schools are closed.

**C.** Only after online learning had been affordable did it help students continue learning while schools were closed.

**D.** Were it not for its affordability, online learning couldn't help students continue learning while schools are closed.

**Question 27.** Jack isn't patient. He can't be chosen for the teaching assistant position.

**A.** If only Jack had been patient, he could have been chosen for the teaching assistant position.

**B.** Supposing that Jack is patient, he can be chosen for the teaching assistant position.

**C.** If Jack were patient, he couldn't be chosen for the teaching assistant position.

**D.** Jack wishes he were more patient so that he could be chosen for the teaching assistant position.

***Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions.***

**Question 28.** "I have to do this work now," Peter said.

**A.** Peter said I had to do that work then.

**B.** Peter said he didn't have to do that work then.

**C.** Peter said he had to do that work then.

**D.** Peter said I didn't have to do that work then.

**Question 29.** Attending the workshop is completely optional.

**A.** You mustn't attend the workshop. **B.** You should attend the workshop.

**C.** You can't attend the workshop. **D.** You needn't attend the workshop.

**Question 30.** The last time I drove a motorbike was 3 years ago.

**A.** I haven't driven a motorbike for 3 years. **B.** I have never driven a motorbike in 3 years.

**C.** I didn't drive a motorbike 3 years ago. **D.** I had 3 years to drive a motorbike.

***Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.***

**Question 31.** A <u>few</u> years ago, there <u>is</u> a very <u>tall</u> tree in the <u>schoolyard</u>.

**A** **B** **C** **D**

**Question 32.** In some <u>parts</u> of the world, women are still <u>discriminated</u> because of <u>its</u> social <u>status</u>.

**A** **B** **C** **D**

**Question 33.** They conducted an <u>exhaustive</u> study into the <u>observant</u> impacts of <u>violent</u> films of

**A** **B** **C**

teenagers' <u>behaviours</u>.

**D**

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***Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to choose the word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 34 to 38.***

**THE GENERATION GAP**

People talk about the generation gap as a kind of division between young people and their parents. It is something (34) _____ is generally a problem when children enter their teenage years, and results in complaints on both sides. Parents, (35) _____, can often be heard to say that young people are disrespectful and disobedient and in addition, tend to be irresponsible when spending because they don't (36) _____ the value of money. Adolescents, on the other hand, complain that their parents don't understand them.

What has gone wrong? One explanation lies in how society has changed. In the past, children would typically continue the way of life of their parents. In today's world, parents are very (37) _____ for their children because they want them to achieve more than they did. The problem is that the children often don't agree with their parents' plans. Teenagers also reach maturity at an earlier age than they used to and want their independence sooner. The resulting conflict is painful to (38) _____ sides.

(Adapted from *Mastering Use of English* by Georgia Graham and Ana Johnson)

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| **Question 34. A.** whom | **B.** who | **C.** where | **D.** which |
| **Question 35. A.** however | **B.** for example | **C.** therefore | **D.** moreover |
| **Question 36. A.** admire | **B.** award | **C.** appreciate | **D.** praise |
| **Question 37. A.** loyal | **B.** sympathetic | **C.** grateful | **D.** ambitious |
| **Question 38. A.** both | **B.** neither | **C.** much | **D.** each |

***Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions from 39 to 43.***

Many people assume that video games have a negative effect on young people. A lot of time in front of a screen is bad for the mind and the body, they believe. Newspaper headlines often express the same opinion - and combat games cause the most concern because of the violence. But is there any evidence for this view? According to a report in American Psychologist, the truth is not so simple. Playing video games is sometimes good for children's education, health and social skills.

Research shows that video games can actually improve certain mental skills. This is especially true for combat games. These games teach players to think about objects in three dimensions and this makes **them** better at studying science, technology, engineering and maths. Other types of video game do not usually provide these benefits.

Video games can **improve** social skills too, the report says. More than 70% of gamers play with a friend, not alone, and millions of people take part in huge online games like Minecraft and Farmville. The players learn useful social skills: how to lead a group, how to work together and how to make decisions. Overall, the report does not deny that some video games can have negative effects; but it is important to think about the benefits too. And remember: you mustn't believe everything you read in the newspapers!

(Adapted from *Solutions 3rd Edition* by Tim Falla and Paul A Davies)

**Question 39.** What is the passage mainly about?

**A.** A study into video games **B.** Some ways to play games effectively

**C.** The combination of games and study **D.** Some surprising benefits of video games

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**Question 40.** According to paragraph 1, newspaper headlines about video games _____.

**A.** sometimes give a different opinion **B.** present a negative view

**C.** only talk about combat games **D.** focus on their effects on body

**Question 41.** The word **'them'** in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

**A.** objects **B.** games **C.** players **D.** dimensions

**Question 42.** As mentioned in paragraph 3, when playing with others, video gamers _____.

**A.** are bad at making decisions

**B.** spend a lot of time playing Minecraft and Farmville

**C.** learn some important skills

**D.** know how to create a group

**Question 43.** The word **'improve** in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to _____.

**A.** better **B.** notice **C.** accept **D.** assess

***Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions from 44 to 50.***

Is there a right way to bring up children? Some parents read guides to find an answer, many just follow their instinct. Whatever they do, a doubt always remains: could I have done a better job?

A recent contribution to the subject is Amy Chua's controversial *book Battle Hymn of the Tiger Mother,* which describes the approach to child-rearing of an ambitious Chinese parent living in the west. According to Chua, western mothers are far too soft on their children. She says they are always praising their children for every effort **they** make, even if the result is coming last in a race or playing a piano piece badly. These are the kind of parents who will give in to their children's demands to go out and play rather than do their homework, if they protest loud enough.

The tiger mother method is very different and the key is total control. Tiger mothers will accept nothing less than 'A' grades in every subject - failure to achieve these is just proof that they have not worked hard enough. They will encourage not with praise and reward, but by punishing and shaming. Chua told her own daughter that she would take her doll's house to a charity shop if she failed to **master** a difficult piano piece. She even rejected a homemade birthday card from her daughter Sophia because she had drawn it in a hurry.

But that highlights another difference, says Chua, which is directness and honesty. A tiger mother will not hesitate to tell their child that they are lazy, whereas western parents are always telling their children not to worry, that they will do better next time, even if they think they have been lazy. The constant nagging of the tiger mother, the banning of TV and computer games seems harsh, but perhaps it works. Chua's children have not rebelled, and they don't **resent** their strict upbringing. They regularly get the top grades at school and are proficient at violin and piano - stereotypical symbols of success, critics would say. By contrast, children with more freedom and more laid-back parents will often lack self-discipline and will fail to push themselves to achieve more.

(Adapted from *Life* by Paul Dummett, John Hughes and Helen Stephenson)

**Question 44.** Which best serves as the title for the passage?

**A.** Tiger Mothers to Gain Prominence in the West

**B.** Strict Upbringing Does more Harm than Good

**C.** Cruel to Be Kind

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**D.** Children Need Love and Affection

**Question 45.** Which of the following is mentioned in paragraph 2 as a way of bringing up children adopted by Western mothers?

**A.** They spend a large amount of money for their children's piano classes.

**B.** They don't make their children do homework at all.

**C.** They are the first to accept their children's offer.

**D.** They are not very strict with their children.

**Question 46.** The word **'they'** in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

**A.** demands **B.** mothers **C.** children **D.** parents

**Question 47.** The word **'master'** in paragraph 3 mostly means _____

**A.** learn **B.** experience **C.** enjoy **D.** face

**Question 48.** The word **'resent'** in paragraph 4 is closest in meaning to _____.

**A.** become interested in **B.** feel angry about

**C.** feel excited about **D.** seem disappointed at

**Question 49.** Which of the following is NOT true, according to the passage?

**A.** Some parents depend on their way of thinking when they educate their children.

**B.** Amy Chua's book causes a lot of angry public discussion in terms of strict upbringing.

**C.** The method to raise children suggested by Amy Chua is not new.

**D.** The tiger mother method involves pushing children to get better results.

**Question 50.** Which of the following can be inferred from the passage?

**A.** The tiger mother approach inevitably puts invisible pressure on Amy Chua's children.

**B.** Many people share a belief that success is linked to excellent academic performance.

**C.** There is absolutely no necessity for children to enjoy enough freedom.

**D.** Western children usually refuse to obey their parents' instructions.

**THE END**

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